

### **Amendments to the Abstract**

Please replace the abstract with the following amended abstract:

A deflecting roller (1) for a traction mechanism drive is ~~characterized in that~~ has a guide collar (10.5) of the spacer sleeve (10) which is held by ~~the~~ a holding bore (5.1) of ~~the~~ an inner ring (5), ~~and the~~ The guide collar (10.5) has a recess (10.4) in which an elastic holding element (11) is inserted, ~~said~~ The elastic holding element (11) ~~bearing~~ bears against the holding bore (5.1) of the inner ring (5) under preload.

**Figure**